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Branch of the Royal Mint Will Coin Canadian Gold Money.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, May 17.—The visit of the Kootenay delegation to Ottawa has been effective. Tonight Mr. Fielding gives notice of a resolution to aid the lead industry in British Columbia, as follows:

"Resolved that it is expedient to provide as follows in order to encourage the refining of lead in Canada:

"That the Governor-in-Council may authorize the payment of the under-mentioned bounties on lead refined in Canada from material produced in Canadian smelters from Canadian ore:

"On every ton of lead so refined during 1902, \$5.  
"On every ton in 1903, \$4.  
"On every ton in 1904, \$3.  
"On every ton in 1905, \$2.  
"On every ton in 1906, \$1.

"The bounties shall be payable half-yearly on the first days of July and January; the total sum payable not to exceed \$100,000 in any year. If the sum at the rates per ton mentioned on lead refined during the half of any calendar year shall exceed \$50,000, then and in such cases the bounty payable per ton shall be reduced as regards that half year to such rate per ton as shall make the amount of bounties payable in respect of such half year, not more than \$50,000.

"If the sum paid for such bounty in any half year shall be less than \$50,000, the unpaid balance for the difference between the sum so paid and \$50,000 shall be carried to the credit of the bounty fund for the next succeeding half year, and may be paid out in such succeeding half year in addition to the \$50,000 herebefore provided. All bounties cease on December 31, 1906."

The resolution to establish an Ottawa branch of the royal mint was adopted unanimously. Mr. Fielding said that Canadian gold coinage will be minted ranging from \$2.50 to \$10, also silver and copper coinage. Experts will come out from London to look at the institution. An assay office will be established next year, either at Dawson or British Columbia.

An important modification was made today to the bill authorizing contribution by Canada of five-eighths of the cost of construction of the Pacific cable. A clause was added that the act will only go into operation by proclamation of the Governor-General. The reason for this, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said, is the decision of the Canadian law officers of the crown that arrangement made by New South Wales with the Eastern Extension Company to give the latter all its business, is declared to be detrimental to Canadian interests. Imperial law officers dissent from this view, but Sir Wilfrid stated that the government desired to see an end of the correspondence on the subject before putting the act into operation.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier gives notice tonight of a resolution providing for the appointment of a County court judge for Vancouver, at a salary of \$2,400.

The government evidently regrets its decision not to give a railway subsidy to British Columbia, as tonight Mr. Blair tabled a resolution giving \$90,000 for 30 miles of railway from Duncan Lake towards Lardo or Arrow lake.

San Francisco, May 17.—President McKinley described the marked improvement in Mrs. McKinley's condition today as a transformation. Mrs. McKinley's condition last night improved to an extent that fairly non-plussed the doctors, brightened the anxious and devoted husband, and filled the city with joy and thanksgiving. The sinking spell that was feared in the early hours before the dawn, did not come. There was a slight tendency in that direction, but that was all. The physicians were so favorably impressed with their patient's condition at the early morning consultation, that they issued a bulletin announcing that Mrs. McKinley had passed a good night, and informed the public that there would not be another consultation until evening. The reassuring news printed in all the newspapers was received with delight by the people. The feeling of cheerfulness continued throughout the day. Although the other physicians left early in the morning, Dr. Rixley did not leave the residence and Mrs. Hirschfelder and Gibbons were always where they could be reached at a moment's notice. Telegrams continuing to pour in from all parts of the country, asking for news from the sick room, and the president received many messages to-day congratulating him upon the reports of improvement in Mrs. McKinley's condition. All the foreign ambassadors and ministers at Washington have sent messages of sympathy doubtless by direction of the governments they represent. There were callers innumerable at the residence, but most of them left early and expressions of hope for Mrs. McKinley's continued improvement. Flowers arrived in profusion until all the rooms were filled with them.

At 9:23 a. m.—Mr. Cortelyou issued the following bulletin: "Mrs. McKinley's physicians find the improved condition of the morning has been maintained throughout the day."

**WINNIPEG NOTES.**  
Drowned at St. Boniface—C. P. R. Safe Robber—Premier Roblin Returns.

Winnipeg, May 17.—(Special.)—The first drowning accident of the season occurred in St. Boniface yesterday afternoon, when the fifteen-year-old son of Mr. Chas. Gingras lost his life while bathing in the waters of the Seine river. The body was recovered late last night. James Healy and James Scott were sentenced to 7 years in the penitentiary for highway robbery.

A battle last night, the safe of the C. P. R. station was blown open and the contents stolen. Fortunately the robber was one day too late, and got only about \$200, whereas one day sooner he could have had over \$4,000. The safe is badly wrecked.

Premier Roblin returned from the east to-day.

**GRAND FORKS TO CELEBRATE**  
Victoria Day to Be Observed With Great Eclat.

Grand Forks, May 17.—There will be a big celebration here on the 24th of May. In the morning Phoenix and Grand Forks will play a baseball match for the championship of the Boundary. In the afternoon the attractions will include a lacrosse match between the Nelson and Grand Forks teams. A ball will be held in the opera house in the evening. The C. P. R. will offer reduced fares from outside points.

**THE MACDONALD STATUE.**  
Toronto, May 17.—(Special.)—The Mall and Empire are attacking Premier Ross as actuated by spite and jealousy in his desire for the removal of the statue of Sir John A. Macdonald, from in front of the parliament buildings in Toronto to make room for that of the Queen. Mayor Howland is opposed to its removal, claiming that when it was placed the site was supposed to be permanent.

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Day Passes in Albany Without Repetition of Fights and Blood-Shed.

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More Troops from New York—City a Huge Armed Camp.

Albany, May 17.—A drenching rain succeeding a warm, humid day, made it unpleasant for the military guarding the city tonight, but had the effect of clearing the street corners of the crowds that have infested them for the past eleven days. There was no repetition of the stirring scenes of disorder and disturbance that have marked the Tractor strike as one of the most desperate labor struggles of the year. There was the same imposing show of military strength, and in the mid-afternoon six hundred additional troops of the 9th regiment of New York city were added to the already large force now on duty here. Two elements seemed to contribute to the quietness that prevailed, one the general anticipation of a settlement of the strike, and the other the feeling of sobriety that succeeded the anger and indignation over the killing of William M. Walsh and E. L. Smith, merchants.

More non-union men were brought into the city, but contrary to expectation and precedent in this strike, their coming did not inflame sentiment to any extent. The city of Albany, Co. added to the force of the strike, was operated by force of arms, as on the preceding day, began late in the morning and ended early in the evening.

Under orders from officers, the street patrols kept people moving, and it is doubtful if a crowd numbering five hundred assembled anywhere in the city. The rapidly moving cars attracted but little attention, and the voices that jeered and howled at them yesterday for the time being are stilled.

Quail street barn was again the centre from which action radiated. At 9 o'clock a heavy force of troops was massed there inside of lines that were easily extended by sending the picket lines forward. Once the non-union men were safe in the barn, the movement of cars began. Major Case, who commanded the battalion in charge at the barn, instructed his men to keep the line of attack from the first up their rifle butts, then their bayonets, and as a last resort their cartridges. The Mounted Signalmen were instructed to first use their horses, then the backs of their sabres and next their sabre blades and last their revolvers. The distribution of troops along the line into the city and out to North Albany was the same as on the previous day, and the whole distance was effectively covered. At points sharpshooters were stationed on roof tops and every possible precaution taken to guard against successful attack.

Gen. Oliver, at brigade headquarters on Chapel street, was in constant telephonic communication with several camps and garrisons, and again directed the general operations, and the first car had glided safely into the city. It was known that the line was in motion, but it attracted only slight notice. The strike-breakers are learning the road, and they keep their cars humming along at a brisk pace. The cars carried strong guards, who sat with their guns aimed in the readiness for trouble. The company of the 9th regiment created a stir that subsided after it had marched away to camp on the heights in South Albany, between 2nd and 3rd avenues.

The special train of 16 cars that brought the 9th up from New York ran its way into Union depot at 3:20 this afternoon, and when it pulled up the troops came piling out. They fell in by companies, formed in regimental front, broke into a column of fours and marched out into Broadway. Their baggage wagons were stowed on the way out through South Albany, but the escort disregarded the attack of the strikers pitched its camp at Grand View farm, and by nightfall long lines of white tents stretched across the fields, and bright fires burned in the newly created streets. The regiment relieves the 10th battalion, which has been garrisoning South Albany police house, and the 1st North Albany company of police took the entire section in which he is located.

No settlement has been reached in the great street railway strike. After hours of conference the officials of the United Traction Co. and the committee from the organizations of the strikers adjourned without changing the situation. The company will proceed to run its cars tomorrow on every line within the city limits, with the aid of a military force, that numbers 30,000. The only step towards settlement that was made was the appointment tonight of a committee from the common council to handle the adoption of a resolution declaring that if a settlement is not effected by Monday night, the council shall revoke the franchise of the company. The company declares that such action will be of no effect, as the road now has a vested right that cannot be taken from it. The reason that there is no settlement tonight is because the company refuses to discharge the men brought from other points to take the strikers' places.

**DROWNED IN FALSE CREEK**  
William Daggett was Despondent and Ended His Life By Suicide.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, May 17.—William Daggett sought death last night by plunging into False Creek. His body was found this morning by his friends, to whom he wrote at 9 o'clock last night. This is known, because he said in one his letters, "The 9 o'clock gun has just gone. I will never hear it again." Daggett had come here a year ago from St. Andrews, N.B. He had been unfortunate in getting work, grew despondent, and after deciding to kill himself, went about it very deliberately, writing letters to friends and relatives and settling his affairs. His nickname was "Duke," and on the corner of a letter left on the breakfast table at his board, which took place this morning early in the day, was written, "Omen at once, Duke is dead." The following was the wording of the note left at the boarding house: "I am going to end my life today, and I ask you all as a favor to try and think kindly of the old Duke."

**SHOOTING AND BURGARY.**  
Nanaimo Has Two Little Exciting Incidents in One Day.

Nanaimo, May 17.—(Special.)—The police are investigating a shooting early in a house in the southern district of the city. The story given to the police is that a couple of men quarrelled, one attacked the other with his fists, whereupon the latter drew a revolver in self defence and fired one shot at his assailant, the ball going into the man who handled the revolver is known to the police. The other man refuses to lay information.

The residence of Mr. MacKinnon, Ithaca street, was entered by an armed burglar early this morning. Mrs. MacKinnon heard him rumaging in the dining room and on going to investigate found a man with a light, which was immediately extinguished. Mrs. MacKinnon called for help, and her husband rushed out in time to see the robber escape through the kitchen window, which he had left open for that purpose. A knuckle duster and other articles were found in the yard.

**BORED FOR OIL.**  
C. D. Rand Hopes He May Strike It Near Grand Forks.

Grand Forks, May 17.—A. D. Rand of Vancouver will shortly bore for coal oil in Joseph Ward's ranch, three miles from this city. It is said the surface indications near a small lake on the property are excellent. According to the agreement operations must be maintained continuously for four months.

**SIR CHARLES RIVERS WILSON.**  
President of the Grand Trunk Making His Inspection.

Montreal, May 17.—Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, president of the G. T. R., arrived here this morning. He said that Montreal had the necessary facilities the Grand Trunk would not take any business to Portland. He will make a tour over the road.











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The Times says that the Colonist has "undertaken the task of setting the province of British Columbia against the Dominion." Our contemporary is quite mistaken. The Colonist too thoroughly appreciates the desirability of co-operation between British Columbia and the Dominion to wish to lay a straw in the way of such a consummation. It has worked strenuously to accomplish this result, and regrets to say that it has not received that degree of assistance from its esteemed contemporary, which it had a right to expect. It is disappointed that the results of its efforts and those of others in this direction have as yet proved barren of results, and has endeavored to show in what manner the Federal authorities have failed, in its opinion, to do what might reasonably have been expected of them. To do this is not to endeavor to set the Province against the Dominion.

Our contemporary takes a very narrow view of the whole subject. It seems to think that the only matter to be considered is the failure of the provincial government to fall in with the views of the V. V. & E. company. It does not appear to know, although it must know it as a matter of fact, that there are other railways in the province, the construction of which is of vast importance. If all that had happened was that the Dominion government had refused this year to subsidize a line from the Coast to Kootenay, then it would be proper enough to confine the discussion to the claims of certain companies to build this line, and there might be some point in maintaining, as the Times does, that Mr. Dunsinuir wants the C. P. R. to build it; but no subsidies whatever have been voted for British Columbia railways, and what is more disappointing still is the Dominion government never intimated to the provincial ministry that it was prepared to take up and discuss the bonussing of any lines at all. Sir Wilfrid and his colleagues heard what Mr. Dunsinuir had to urge, promised consideration, and there the matter ended. The apologists for the Ottawa ministry cannot say that anything was offered to the provincial government, which the latter refused to entertain; they cannot say that the provincial ministers took any course which they had reason to believe the Ottawa authorities would object to. We are speaking now, not of the terms of the loan act, but of the lines which the province was willing to aid. It is intelligible that the Times may employ any alleged attitude of Mr. Dunsinuir and his colleagues to support any contention it may see fit to make in local politics; but this can have no bearing upon the conduct of the Federal government, and this is what we have to do with at the present time.

The News-Advertiser refers to the same subject, and says, "what is wanted is a provincial administration, clear of all federal political entanglements, and backed by popular support," but surely if ever there was a government in British Columbia for which such a claim could be made it is that led by Mr. Dunsinuir. No one can pretend that Mr. Dunsinuir is hampered by Federal entanglements, or that he does not enjoy popular support. Our Vancouver contemporary must seek for some other explanation of the failure of Ottawa to respond to the expectations of the province. We are much more impressed with the opinion expressed by the News-Advertiser as to the duty of the representatives of this province in the house of commons to stand together. It is quite true that, whereas in the Eastern provinces there is harmony of action between all the representatives of any one of them at Ottawa, when it comes to advancing the claims of that province, with us there is nothing of the kind. We had striking proof of this a few days ago, when Colonel Prior made his appeal for

provincial recognition, and not one of the other members from British Columbia had a word to say. The Times tells us that the Ottawa ministers have probably paid attention to the representations of the Liberal members from this province. If this is the case, these representations must have been made in secret. They have certainly not been made in the public hearing, nor upon the floors of Parliament, which is where they should be uttered. Are we to understand from what the Times says that there have been secret influences at work to defeat the claims of British Columbia?

It is very clear that the present condition of things cannot go on without serious friction arising between British Columbia and the rest of the Dominion. The feeling that is now chiefly one of disappointment, will change to one of indignation, and the people will approach the Federal ministry not in the attitude of those who ask for co-operation but as men who protest against ill-treatment. Ill-feeling will be aroused. We do not suggest that this feeling will result in any demonstrations of a popular character. But the people will discover some way to let those in authority know that we must have fair play. In the present temper of the people of British Columbia political history, in a peaceful way, may be made very quickly.

THE SEATTLE STRIKES.

Seattle is threatened with very serious labor trouble. The machinists have been out for several days and the boiler-makers followed suit day before yesterday. Their grievance is that they have to work ten hours a day, and they demand a reduction to eight hours, but insist upon the same pay. The employers refuse, for they say business will not allow this, for the extra cost of work would completely wipe out the margin of profit. They declare their intention to close down their works and keep them closed indefinitely. The pattern-makers and some others of the workers in metal are to strike on June 1, if their demands for a shorter day at the same rate of pay is not acceded to, and they may go out sooner, if they learn that they cannot carry their point. There is also trouble on the water front. All the men working in connection with the steamers are either organized or are getting ready to organize, and they have already given notice to ship owners that all non-union sailors must be dismissed from the steamers. One of the most prominent business men of Seattle said a few days ago that he regarded the outlook as decidedly serious. There are now about 400 men on strike, and these swell the crowds always to be found in that city consisting of men who are not particularly anxious to work, if they can get along without. This will be a bad thing for Seattle. Times are not any too good there now. There is the appearance of great activity and undoubtedly a great deal of business is being done. A large number of buildings are being put up and extensive street improvements are in progress. Nevertheless the older residents, who have watched the progress of the city in the past, say that they are apprehensive of the future and there is not that stable foundation for the current business that is desirable. This does not mean that the city is in a bad way, but only that, if the strike situation becomes serious, and the relations of the employers and their men are not speedily adjusted, there may be considerable suffering and the prosperity of the business community may be interrupted. One of the Seattle papers said a few days ago that the loss to the community by reason of the machinists' strike meant a curtailment of the pay rolls of the city to the extent of at least \$75,000 a month, and although this is not very much in a large place like Seattle, where people spend money so lavishly and to which there is flowing a constant stream of new people, either intending to reside there or in transit to other places, it cannot fail to have an appreciable effect upon retailers, and as it is likely to be quadrupled in a short time, the loss to merchants can hardly fail to be to some extent embarrassing. One feature of this strike is that it is not merely a local movement, but is supported by the unions all over the United States. It is indeed only a phase of a general strike epidemic, which is extending into all lines of labor. The brick yards in New York have struck, and from other cities strikes in other trades are reported. The laboring men seem to have made up their minds that the present period of high values is a good time to get more money for a day's work. The great danger which they have to consider is the chance that they may kill the goose that lays the golden egg.

THE MINT.

Canada is to have a mint, and it is to be located at Ottawa. An assay office is also to be established, but we are told that when Sir Wilfrid Laurier comes out to the Coast this summer, he will look into this side of the question and settle it so that the office can be established in time for next season's business. While the Colonist would have been glad to have seen the mint located in Victoria, and at the outset of the discussion over its location pleaded the cause of this city as best it could, it saw early that there was not the least chance of the institution being located anywhere on this Coast, and that the intention of the ministers was to select Ottawa as the site. There are some things to be said in favor of such a course, and we have no adverse criticisms to make. In the matter of the Assay Office, we submit that in view of the enormous output of gold to be expected from the Yukon during the next few years, there is no reason why there should not be two or three such offices. A very well-informed gentleman stated to the Colonist yesterday that he had made it his business to inquire, and he believed the output of Klondike alone would be \$50,000,000 this year. He did not expect as much as this to be taken out as the result of the spring clean-up, but that the total product of the summer would reach this enormous value. He also said that he fully believed other localities in the Canadian Yukon would shortly send out millions of gold every year. In view of such

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a prospect as this, it seems as though there is no good reason why Dawson, Victoria and Vancouver might not all have Assay Offices. We do not like to say anything that can be construed as interfering with the legitimate rights of any locality, but we suggest that it would be more in the interests of Canadian trade to have an Assay Office located at Victoria and Vancouver than at Dawson. If there was one central office at Dawson, the miners would not be likely to bring their gold with them, but would take drafts, which they would cash wherever they went. If arrangements could be made so that there would be some object in their coming to the British Columbia cities with their dust, the whole trade of the country would feel the benefit. This is a matter which the Board of Trade ought to take up in order that when the Premier comes here, we may be able to present for his consideration facts and figures which may influence his decision. There is not much time to be lost, for our case ought to be made out with a great deal of care.

The Dominion government has agreed to give a bounty on lead refined in Canada of \$5 a ton, the amount not to exceed \$100,000 in any one year. This will provide a bonus for 20,000 tons. With the data at present at our command, we are not able to express any definite view as to the sufficiency of this aid to develop lead roasting in Canada, but we hope it will have that effect. It is a move in the right direction, and will meet with very cordial approval throughout this province.

The Times rebukes the London Finance for ignorance of Canadian geography, but what shall be said of the Toronto Globe, which a few weeks ago spoke of the gold mines of Klondike as "Alaskan" mines?

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Built Around the Band Stand.

It is at this time of the year, with favorable weather conditions, that the mind of the average citizen turns to the city's pleasure grounds and really appreciates how nature, slightly assisted by man, has favored this city. The small appropriation annually allowed for park purposes permits of very little being done to improve Beacon hill park, and what little is done is generally in the right direction. One of the greatest improvements is about to be carried out by Park Commissioner Hall. It consists of the erection of two sets of steps to allow of easy access to the beach at points where the cliff is too steep to permit of descent or ascent. One set of these steps is to run over to the beach at the foot of Cook street, and the other at the foot of South Turner street. This is an improvement that has long been agitated for, and will be greatly appreciated, particularly by those whose age no longer allows them to take chances with their limbs on the steep embankment.

Another improvement that will be greatly appreciated by visitors to the park, is the one by which more room is being made around the grand stand for seats. The fence around the deer enclosure has been moved back, and a number of new seats will be erected. This will provide seats for the crowd who attend the Sunday band concerts during the summer. The first of these, a complimentary concert, is to be given by the Fifth regiment band on Sunday next.

The welfare of the horses too is to be looked after by the erection of a water trough in a convenient place. Again can it be said that this will fill a long felt want.

The park menagerie is being added to. Yesterday there arrived five cynomys, and a pair of doves are shortly to be added. The depredation by dogs on the animals in the park has been stopped since the issuance of the warning to dog owners to keep their animals out of the grounds.

**LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.**

Matters Dead With Yesterday Cases Fixed for Monday.

In the Supreme Court yesterday, Mr. Justice Martin made an order for sale of property in Armstrong & Co. vs. Tremblay, and fixing the costs, which are to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale in priority to plaintiff's costs. Hunter, K. C. for plaintiff.

In trial of Rensell Lake Navigation company vs. Bank of B. N. A. was continued before Mr. Justice Walkden.

The following matters are set down for Monday:

Upham vs. Upham Examination of defendant.

Vancouver Island Building society. Partition under winding up act.

Ontario Bank vs. Macaulay Examination of defendant.

Dowler vs. Union Motion to settle judgment.

**IN CHAMBERS.**

Mr. Justice Martin presided in chambers yesterday. In Cuthbert vs. B. C. Gold Fields, an application was made to fix the date of trial, but no order was made. Powell for plaintiff; Belyea for defendant.

Re Whitson Petition for declaration of title under Quitting of Taxes act. Referred to registrar general, Chase for petitioner.

An application to extend time for redemption of mortgaged property will be made by chambers on Monday in Munro vs. Ritchie. Aikman for plaintiff.

**REN. VS. BROOKS AND MALTRY.**

Zionites to be Tried for Manslaughter Monday.

Eugene Brooks and Willie W. Maltry, who were arraigned on Thursday and pleaded not guilty to a charge of manslaughter, will be tried before Mr. Justice Martin on Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

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Adjourned Till Wednesday. The charge against William Alexander of assaulting a Jan. will not come up in the police court till Wednesday next, it having been adjourned till that time.

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